

# THE TIMES.

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## OUR CIRCULATION.

For the information of advertisers and others who may be interested in knowing, we will state that the present circulation of THE TIMES is between eighteen hundred and nineteen hundred copies each week.

THE Erie canal men have reduced their charge for carrying corn from Buffalo to New York to four cents a bushel. The lake vessels are carrying from Chicago to Buffalo for two cents. Adding the elevator charges at Buffalo and the insurance, the total cost of sending a bushel of corn by water from Chicago to New York is now about seven and a half cents! The cost by rail is about sixteen and three-fourths cents. Last year the canal rate on corn was nine cents. If there is not ruin in these rates other companies are swindling the people with their charges.

TROY, N. Y., June 13.—The safe and vault of the Walter A. Wood mowing and reaping machine company at Hoesick Falls were blown open last night by masked burglars and \$900 stolen.—The vault and safe are a total wreck. The watchman was gagged and bound.

HARTFORD, June 13.—John McGuire was shot and killed in the door yard of Mrs. B. F. Bissell, at West Hartford, last evening by Elias N. Ives, a laborer, employed on the farm. McGuire had been discharged by Mrs. Bissell and had threatened to kill the latter. As he was about to carry his threat into execution he was shot by Ives.

## Abducted by a Blunder.

Two men tried to abduct a young girl named Parmelee, at Bristol, Conn., a few nights since, but captured her aged and feeble mother instead. They didn't find out their mistake till they had carried her, bound and gagged, for quite a distance, when they set her free with many curses.

DIXON, Ill., June 13.—The jury in the case of the Rev. S. H. McGhee, charged with poisoning his wife, rendered a verdict this morning of guilty, but fixed the penalty at the lowest period of imprisonment allowed by law—fourteen years. McGhee was pastor of the Christian church at Ashton. His motive for the crime was supposed to be a desire to marry a young lady parishoner.

## A Bank Robber Escapes.

NEW YORK, June 13.—Billy Connors, who has been confined in Ludlow street jail for several months pending the result of legal proceedings for his extradition to Massachusetts on a charge of being one of the Northampton bank robbers escaped this afternoon. The manner in which he made his escape is at present unknown.

## The Coal Mine Fire at Tremont.

A dispatch from Pottsville, Pa., says: It has become necessary to flood the Middle Creek mine at Tremont to extinguish the fire, which has been gaining rapidly. The flooding of the mine will throw a large number of men and boys out of employment, and it is thought it will require three weeks hard work to pump the water out.

## Tidal Wave Sixty Feet High.

The State Department have received from the U. S. Consul at Callao an account of the loss of the American ship "Geneva" of Bath Me., on the evening of the 9th of May, during the earthquake and tidal wave on the South American coast. The wave rose 60 feet and carried the Geneva ashore on the rocks, and receding, carried her off again, when she sank almost immediately, the officers and crew having barely time to escape.

## Fatal Collision.

BALTIMORE, June 12.—The particulars of the accident on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad this morning are furnished by officials of the company at Camden station. A collision occurred about 7:50 a. m., near Point of Rocks, between the regular morning accommodation train from Winchester, Va., and a special excursion train from Frederick to Washington with an excursion party to Mount Vernon. Both trains were in motion, the engines crushing into each other. Four persons were instantly killed and eighteen wounded—all on the excursion train.

Killed—Charles H. Keeper, editor of the Frederick Examiner; Richard Detrow, merchant; Dorsey Walker, merchant, and Howard E. Dickson, all of Frederick City.

Wounded—Louis Schley, son of Dr. Fairfax Schley, dangerously. He lost both legs and will probably die. Colonel Chas. E. Trail, dangerously, and sixteen others. Colonel Trail is one of the most influential and wealthy citizens of Frederick and was state senator from that county several terms.

All the killed and wounded were from Frederick City or residents of Frederick county, and have been taken to Frederick City. Only one person, a lady, on the Winchester train, was injured and she not seriously. The cause of the accident was a misunderstanding between the train men.

A late dispatch says that Louis Schley died from injuries received this morning.

A dispatch from Frederick says the accident is attributable to gross carelessness and negligence of the train men.

## Deplorable Case of Poverty.

The *Miner's Journal* of Pottsville says: The other day a man entered a grocery store on Centre street and asked to be trusted to a sack of flour. As he owed a large bill already he was refused further credit. He begged for it, but was still refused. Going out he picked up a sack that was near the door, put it under his arm and took it home. The grocer swore out a warrant against him, and had it placed in the hands of a constable. The officer went to the house, and on being admitted found the family sitting around the sack and eating the dry flour with spoons. Without saying a word he returned to the grocery and offered to pay for the flour himself, stating at the same time what he had seen. The grocer would not take the money tendered him, but made up a good sized basket of provisions and sent them to the poor man's house. The man has since found employment.

## Great Destruction of Property by a Hurricane.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., June 14.—The covered bridge over the Connecticut river between Northampton and Hadley, was blown over by a hurricane, accompanied by a severe thunder shower, at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. An uncompleted bridge of the Massachusetts Central railroad was also demolished. There were six teams on the bridge when it went over, and Mrs. Sullivan, of Old Hadley, was instantly killed. Sheriff Enos Cook, of Hadley, was cut badly on the head and William Smith, of Amherst, had his shoulder dislocated. Two horses have been taken from the ruins alive. The bridge was 1,114 feet long and the newest portion of it has been built about fifteen years. Numerous tobacco sheds have also been blown down by the gale.

The path of the wind seemed to be ten miles in length and one in width and was in a northwesterly direction.

The body of Julia Huppuch, a beautiful young lady, aged twenty years, who has been missing for two weeks, was found in the canal at Buffalo, N. Y., on Saturday. The cause of the suicide is supposed to have been parental cruelty, she having been whipped by her father on the night previous to being last seen for alleged intimacy with a young man who was objectionable to her parents.

Oliver Snyder's house at Coatesville was struck by lightning, tearing off shingles, and following the waterspout down to the kitchen, where Mrs. Snyder was knocked senseless. It then split a post on the porch, knocking down two children, but did not fire the house.

Lydia Sherman, the prisoner, who recently escaped from a Connecticut penitentiary, has been recaptured.

## OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 12, 1877. Doubtless Secretary Sherman foresaw the opposition his financial policy would meet and fortified himself accordingly. It is quite supposable that he has been preparing for his present position and undertakings for many months or even years. He is a far-sighted man and firm, almost to obstinacy, and having once put his hand to the plow he cannot be turned back. Specie Resumption is his hobby but he is also working for a reduction of the public debt and several other schemes. Much fault is found with his reform lobby but he professes to have only the country's good at heart, and once in a while an approving word comes to him through the press, like the following from a New York daily. "Secretary Sherman's financial policy is heartily approved by the business element of the State and no complaint is heard except from people who are in debt and want more money to float them out again. Mr. Townsend is warmly in favor of Secretary Sherman's scheme to issue a currency bond which can be placed easily in this country and will be preferred by farmers and others who are now placing all their surplus in savings banks. Business is better than it has been for six years and sales of merchants are greater."

It is hard to understand why so much dissatisfaction is felt concerning the effort to pay off the National debt. It is argued that there is injustice and oppression in any

attempt to pay more than a reasonable interest on the debt, letting the principal entirely alone, while there is no call or occasion for it, while yet our wounds received in battle are scarcely healed and while public industries have hardly recovered from the paralysis inflicted upon them by the war. Some have compared the payment of the public debt now to a person who having been accommodated with funds by a friend who stood in need of the money himself when he parted with it, immediately deprives himself of the money obtained to keep up his business in order to refund the loan, though obtained from a source able and willing to treat it as an investment asking only a reasonable interest. On the other hand it is thought that it ought to be a matter of National thanksgiving to know that from June 1870 to June 1877 the public debt has been diminished over \$36,000,000, and during the last month nearly \$7,000,000 have been paid on it.

During the war Arlington Heights situated just across the Potomac from Washington and at that time the estate and home of Gen. Robert E. Lee, was confiscated by the Government and dedicated as a burying ground for fallen soldiers whose bones should be gathered from the various battle fields. A contract was made with certain parties to do the work and although it has been said that they did it only too thorough. It is now one of the most beautiful cemeteries in the country, and, for evident reasons, by far the most interesting. Joking is out of place in such a connection but I suppose it is a fact that because of the contractors being paid by the load (in gathering the remains) and not being specially versed in anatomy, we strewed flowers Decoration day, and honored with equal respect, the bones of man and mules "lying in this beautiful cemetery in the common commission that they both fell in the defense of their country." All that matters little, however, the place is a sacred one and considerable solicitation is felt for Gen. G. W. C. Lee (George Washington Curtis—the Lee heir) should succeed in the suit of ejectment which he has brought against the government for the possession of Arlington. There are many of the dead of both armies interred there, besides several thousand negroes, who died during the war. It is revolting to think of disturbing these bones, but a man would hardly want them in his door-yard and orchard. So, if Gen. Lee is entitled to the estate, the Government must pay him his price for it or submit to the disturbance of over sixteen thousand graves of our soldiers.

Never was America treated with such honors abroad as Gen. Grant is receiving. Already he has dined with the Duke of Wellington and numbers of other Dukes and Duchesses, Counts, Marquises, Lords and Ladies, and all sorts of titles. The Prince of Wales has given him private audience, and the Queen invited him to all the Court entertainments. He attended service at Westminster Abbey on Sunday, and listened to Dean Stanley, who, right in his sermon mentioned Gen. Grant's presence and position, calling him by name and welcoming him in England's name. "As a sign and pledge that the two nations of the Anglo-Saxon race are still one in heart and spirit." Verily praise is sweet to the heart of man, and no wonder the now free and easy ex-President expresses himself as well pleased with "furrin lands."

M. M. W.

## Miscellaneous News Items.

Charles H. Payson, of Tilton, N. H., while intoxicated, last week, struck his wife upon the head, inflicting fatal injuries. He was arrested.

Mrs. Juul, a widow with three children, committed suicide at York Pa., last week, by hanging. The act was caused by depression of spirits.

Alice Strickland died on Wednesday last from stab wounds received on Sunday from Wm. Burble in a saloon in New York. Burble escaped.

At Garret City, Ind., on Sunday a week, George Nevins shot and killed his wife, and dangerously wounded Charles Thomas, her alleged paramour.

The damage caused by the recent heavy rain storm in northern Mississippi is very great. In many instances the crops were ruined entirely, fences swept away and stock drowned.

The Grand Jury refused to find a bill against Mrs. Young, of Newark, New Jersey, who killed her children with an axe, the medical experts appointed to examine her mental condition having ascertained that she is insane.

During a drunken quarrel at Rondout, last Tuesday evening, James Malloy, of Sleightsburgh, was shot dead by Joseph Mallert, a saloon keeper. Mallert gave himself up to the authorities.

Murdock, a mail agent between Richmond and Danville, who was arrested a few days since for robbing the mail, partially examined and admitted to bail, committed suicide by taking poison.

The Supreme Court last week at Harrisburg, Pa., has affirmed the judgment of the Northampton County Court in the case of Laros, under sentence of death for poisoning his mother and father and an old man named Schug.

John M. Eisner, a boy of Lycoming county, was killed lately by the fall of a tree. He was found lying under a small pine tree dead, having been struck on the head. The day on which the occurrence happened is said to have been calm, and the tree was apparently sound.

There was a duel fought a few days ago near Somerset, between a resident of that place and a Pittsburgher the weapons used being shot guns. Nobody was seriously injured with the exception of a cow in an adjoining field. It was all about a girl.

At the Kearsarge Mill, Portsmouth, N. H., recently, the walking beam and the piston head of the engine broke with a terrific crash, but the engineer shut off the steam in season to prevent loss of life. Three hundred operatives are thrown out of employment by the accident.

Nashville, June 11.—On Saturday night a negro was caught in an attempted burglary and taken from the police by 40 armed men. They put a rope around his neck and dragged him to a bluff overlooking the river, just outside of the city, and nothing was heard but a loud shriek, a splash, and all was over.

An extraordinary hailstorm occurred in Bardonia, Ky., on Tuesday a week, some of the hailstones measuring four and a half to five inches in diameter and weighing one-half pound. Cattle and horses, stung to desperation, were wild with pain and fright. Fields of wheat were much damaged.

Owing to the scanty appropriations by the last Congress, the United States Circuit Court of New York has no funds, and has been compelled to adjourn until October. About 900 cases have accumulated on the calendar. The jurors in all the Federal Courts, as well as the witnesses have been without their pay for several months.

G. W. White, of Titusville, was drawing a load of goods into Tarport recently, and when near the depot the wagon ran into a very bad hole, completely upset, and almost entirely demolished the entire contents of the wagon. A very fine soda fountain, that originally cost \$1000, was ground into pieces so fine that it would take a microscope to detect them from dust.

An old lady from Pitt county stepped into Capt. Brown's store on Saturday a week, and inquired the price of flour. Mr. Red Thomas, the polite, good-looking clerk, told her flour had gone up \$3 per barrel on account of the Russians and "Turks fighting." "I wish the Roosters and Turkeys would quit fighting—before God I do," moaned the old lady, shaking her head.

As paymaster Bessel, of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, and his assistant, Captain Carling, were on their way to pay the miners at the Brisbin colliery, near Scranton, on Tuesday, they were attacked by two masked robbers. Captain Carling was slightly wounded by a pistol shot from one of the ruffians. Bessel returned the fire and the fellows fled. The Company has offered a reward of \$500 for their apprehension.

During seven years Charles Eichhorn, of Cincinnati, was supported by his wife, who worked hard to do it. Recently she told him that she was tired of that kind of thing, and that he must earn his own living. He was in excellent health, and had a trade; but he had been so long used to idleness that Mrs. Eichhorn's resolution was a great shock to him. The poor fellow's feelings were hurt, too, and he went into the yard and hanged himself.

## FIRE IN LIVERPOOL!

The old prices of Mackerel are burnt up by S. M. Shuler, and he will now offer to his friends and the public:

Extra Fat Family Mackerel at \$1.00 per 1/2 bbl.  
" " " " " at \$3.75 per 1/2 bbl.  
" " No. 2 " " 50 lbs. fish only \$2.75.  
" " No. 2 " " 100 " " \$5.00.  
Ground Alum Salt, 1/2 \$5 per Sack

What do you say, can you buy at those figures any place else?

I would also call your attention to my stock of HARDWARE, GROCERIES, DRUGS, WINES and LIQUORS, which I will offer at the lowest prices for Cash or Produce.

Agent for the sale of Miller & Weaver's Pure Rye Whiskey.

Josiah A. Whitman's Portable Fountain Pump, Sprinkler and Fire Extinguisher. Price, \$10. The cheapest and best in use. Call on or address, S. M. SHULER, Liverpool, Perry co., Pa.

Removal.—J. T. Messimer has removed his Shoe Shop to the room adjoining F. B. Clouser's office, 4 doors west of the Post-Office, where he will make to order Boots and Shoes of all kinds. Repairing promptly and neatly executed. He will also keep on hand a good assortment of Boots and Shoes, which he will sell at low prices. Give him a call. 17

New Tailor Shop.—The undersigned gives notice to the public that he has opened a shop opposite Rinesmith's hotel New Bloomfield, Pa., in the room formerly used as a confectionary, where he is prepared to do work in his line promptly, and at reasonable prices. All work warranted to give satisfaction. Give me a call. SAMUEL BENTZEL, Bloomfield, May 1, '77 ff.

Looking Glasses, Mirrors, Window Shades, Matts, Rugs, Hassocks, &c., at the Carpet Store in Carlisle.

Do You Want One?—I have yet several sewing machines which will be sold at half price for cash. If you want a bargain, now is your time to get it. F. MORTIMER.

Only a Flip.—I have received another lot of good colors of the 64 cent prints. Lots of other NEW GOODS are also in Store and for sale at a bargain. Call and see them. F. MORTIMER.

Special Notice.—Having added a room for the express purpose of showing carpets oil cloth and wall paper, we ask persons wanting any of these articles to look at our assortment. [ff.] F. MORTIMER.

"Above All Navy Tobacco."—Caution.—Every 5c. and 10c. plug of this Celebrated Tobacco is labelled "Wardle's Above All." None is genuine without.

Ask your merchants for "Above All" Chewing Tobacco.

Purchasers of Carpets, Wall Papers, Shades, Oil Cloths and general house furnishing goods of this kind should see the large spring stock at the Carlisle Carpet House, 21, East Main Street.

Baking Powder, just the thing every lady should have in the house. The best out, for sale by F. MORTIMER.

Go For 'Em.—The potato bug is already doing great damage. The ravages of this nuisance, the cabbage worm, and all other pests of the kind can be stopped by using the "PEST POISON." It is the cheapest and surest remedy to be had. For sale by F. Mortimer, New Bloomfield, Perry county, Pa. ff.

See Schwartz's Advertisement.

## Lippincott's Magazine.

There are several very attractive articles in *Lippincott's Magazine* for July, the opening number of the twentieth volume. "Edinburgh Jottings," by Dr. Alfred S. Gibbs, of U. S. N. Henry James, Jr., makes his first appearance in *Lippincott's* with one of his most sparkling papers, "An English Easter." The opening chapters of "A Law unto Herself," a new serial by Mrs. Rebecca Harding Davis, are in the author's best vein, and include a pleasant description of a spiritual scene, and many other highly interesting articles and beautiful illustrations. J. S. Lippincott & Co., Publishers, Philadelphia.

One of the best of papers lying upon our table, is the *ILLUSTRATED CHRISTIAN WEEKLY* published by the American Tract Society, 150 Nassau street, New York. Every week it is superbly illustrated with the finest of wood engravings, and every week contains the most agreeable, interesting and instructive literature; and withal printed upon finest book paper, in clear full face type, and all for \$2.50 per year. Without hesitation we pronounce it the very best periodical for the general reader. We cannot spare space to enumerate its many excellences. Do you desire beautiful engravings and exquisite poetry—real poetry? Are you fond of first-class stories, sketches, essays, biographical, geographical, historical tales? Do you relish able, witty, eloquent editorials on the leading questions of the day, both religious and secular? Do you want all this, and much more? Then let this *WEEKLY* find an entrance into your homes, and your hearts will be warmed and gladdened by its very presence.

## Best Book for Everybody.

The new illustrated edition of Webster's Dictionary, containing three thousand engravings, is the best book for everybody that the press has produced in the present century, and should be regarded as indispensable to the well-regulated home, reading-room, library and place of business.—*Golden Era*.

What a blessing to the poor would be such a wholesome purifier and preventive of contagion as Glenn's Sulphur Soap, could it be distributed among them. Why don't some philanthropist act on this hint. Depot Crittenton's, No. 7 Sixth Avenue, New York. Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye, black or brown, 50 cents. 23 1m

Notice.—There will be a special session of Rural Council, No. 105, O. U. A. M., on SATURDAY evening the 23rd inst.—All members are requested to be present. Also all officers and Ex-C's. By order of the C. T. L. HENCH, C. G. W. REEDER, R. S.

Carpets, Carpets.—Beautiful Brussels, 3 plys and Ingrain, with 30 patterns in Homestead Carpets, Hemps, Halls and Stairs at the Carlisle Carpet House, 21, East Main St., Carlisle.

Wall Papers.—Over 300 designs for Halls, Parlors, Dining-rooms, &c., low as 8 cents up to beautiful tints and Decorations, at the Carpet Store, 21, East Main St., Carlisle.

"The Above All," is a new brand of chewing tobacco, and is without a peer for excellence and sweetness. For sale, wholesale and retail, by J. B. HARTZELL in Gantt's Building.

## TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a Sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c. Parties wishing the prescription will please address, Rev. W. L. S. BENTZEL, 246 W. 194 Penn St., Williamsburgh, New York.

## PIMPLES.

I will mail the recipe for preparing a simple VEGETABLE REMEDY that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES, and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing 10 cents, BEN. YANDLIE & Co., Box 5121, No. 5 Wooster St., New York. 10a52 6mos.

## ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youth, is now recovered, and for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and direction for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing, W. L. S. BENTZEL, JOHN B. OGDES, 42 Cedar St., New York. 10a52 6mos.

## ASSIGNEE'S SALE. OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned Assignee under a deed of voluntary assignment for the benefit of creditors of John Leonard and wife, will sell by public outcry, in Newport, Perry county, Pa.,

On Saturday, July 7th, 1877, at 10 o'clock, A. M., the following real estate of said assignor, to wit:

A LOT OF GROUND, situated on 6th Street and corner of alley in the borough of Newport, Perry county, Pa., having thereon erected a Two Story Log Frame Weather-boarded

DWELLING HOUSE,

22 x 24 feet, with Kitchen attached, and all necessary outbuildings. There is a well of water near the door.

Also, A TRACT OF WOODLAND, situated in Centre township, Perry county, Pa., containing 20 ACRES, more or less, bounded by lands of Henry and Josiah Fickes, H. J. Light and others. This is a valuable piece of land, being covered with excellent timber.

TERMS OF SALE.—On the house and lot in Newport, 10 per cent. of the purchase money to be paid when the property is stricken down, one-third the balance on confirmation of sale, and the remainder in two equal annual payments, with interest from date of confirmation of sale. On tract of Woodland, 10 per cent. to be paid when the property is stricken down, and the balance of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of sale.

June 12, 1877. E. B. WEISE.

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## FACTS FOR THE PEOPLE.

Facts for the Farmer—Facts for the Merchant—Facts for the Householder—Facts for the Stock-raiser—Facts for the Poultry-keeper—Facts for the Bee-keeper—Facts for the Lawyer—Facts for the Laborer—Facts for the Fruit-raiser—Facts for the Gardener—Facts for the Doctor—Facts for the Dayman—Facts for the Household—Facts for every family who wants to save money.

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